

Ancient Greek Children's Toys



Children who lived in Ancient Greece had toys. They played with lots of different types of toys, including rattles, little clay animals, horses on 4 wheels that could be pulled on a string, yo-yo's, and terra-cotta dolls. Children played with small pottery figures, and dolls made of rags, wood, wax or clay – some dolls had moveable arms and legs. The action figures were made out of cloth and clay. Other toys



were rattles, hoops, hoops, yo-yos, and hobby horses (a “pretend horse” made from a stick).

Can you compare the toys that the children played with in Ancient Greece and our modern toys?

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